

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 851**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Brownley**

February 26, 2009

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An act to amend Section 42238 of, to amend and repeal Sections 42238.21, 42238.22, 42241.2, and 42241.7 of, to amend, repeal, and add Sections 45023.1 and 45023.4 of, and to add Section 42238.485 to, the Education Code, relating to education finance.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 851, as introduced, Brownley. Education finance.

(1) Existing law requires the county superintendent of schools to determine a revenue limit for each school district in the county pursuant to a specified formula based on the base revenue limit of the school district for the prior year, adjusted for inflation, and the average daily attendance for the entire school district.

This bill would require the base revenue limit for each school district for the 2010–11 fiscal year to include an adjustment, computed, as specified.

The bill would require the Superintendent of Public Instruction to calculate an add-on for each school district, as specified. The bill would require the Superintendent to calculate and apportion for each basic aid district, as defined, an amount equal to the amount computed pursuant to the provision referenced in (4) below.

(2) Existing law specifies that the revenue limit for the Newport-Mesa Unified School District will not include certain amounts that were not received by the district due to bankruptcy proceedings initiated by the County of Orange.

This bill would provide that these provisions would remain in effect only until July 1, 2010.

(3) Existing law creates the Santa Cruz High School attendance area, a program for middle school options to eliminate revenue limit inequities.

This bill would provide that these provisions would remain in effect only until July 1, 2010.

(4) Under existing law, in the computation of its revenue limit for the current fiscal year, a school district may add the amount computed in the preceding fiscal year for the Meals for Needy Pupils program.

This bill would provide that these provisions would remain in effect only until July 1, 2010.

(5) Existing law provides that the revenue limit of any elementary school district, high school district, or unified school district may be increased by an amount sufficient to provide additional revenue equal to the expenditures estimated to be incurred by the district in complying with provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Code.

This bill would provide that these provisions would remain in effect only until July 1, 2010.

(6) Existing law provides a revenue limit adjustment for a school district or county office of education that offers a minimum beginning teacher salary.

This bill would recast and revise these provisions to generally delete their application to school districts as of July 1, 2010.

(7) Existing law establishes the Jack O'Connell Beginning-Teacher Salary Incentive Program, under which a county superintendent of schools, or the county board of education, may increase the salary for certain teachers on its adopted certificated employee salary schedule, as specified. If a school district elects to meet specified requirements, it is eligible to receive an incentive amount.

This bill would recast and revise these provisions to generally delete their application to school districts as of July 1, 2010.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. (a) It is the intent of the Legislature to accomplish  
2 all of the following:

1 (1) Address continuing concerns regarding the fragmentation  
2 of funding sources and the need for flexibility in order to allow  
3 local responses to the special needs of all pupils.

4 (2) Reduce the extensive amount of state and school district  
5 administrative work required for the apportionment of general  
6 purpose funds.

7 (3) Increase the transparency of the school funding system for  
8 the educational community, policymakers, and parents.

9 (4) Simplify the state's education funding system.

10 (b) It is the intent of the Legislature to accomplish the goals set  
11 forth in subdivision (a) by doing all of the following:

12 (1) Consolidating historical revenue limit adjustments that are  
13 free of state-imposed restrictions or conditions, or in which all  
14 school districts participate, into the calculation of the total revenue  
15 limit amount to be apportioned to each school district pursuant to  
16 Section 42238.

17 (2) Continuing to examine opportunities to consolidate school  
18 funding and provide expenditure flexibility to school districts.

19 SEC. 2. Section 42238 of the Education Code is amended to  
20 read:

21 42238. (a) For the 1984–85 fiscal year and each fiscal year  
22 thereafter, the county superintendent of schools shall determine a  
23 revenue limit for each school district in the county pursuant to this  
24 section.

25 (b) The base revenue limit for a fiscal year shall be determined  
26 by adding to the base revenue limit for the prior fiscal year the  
27 following amounts:

28 (1) The inflation adjustment specified in Section 42238.1.

29 (2) For the 1995–96 fiscal year, the equalization adjustment  
30 specified in Section 42238.4.

31 (3) For the 1996–97 fiscal year, the equalization adjustments  
32 specified in Sections 42238.41, 42238.42, and 42238.43.

33 (4) For the 1985–86 fiscal year, the amount received per unit  
34 of average daily attendance in the 1984–85 fiscal year pursuant to  
35 Section 42238.7.

36 (5) For the 1985–86, 1986–87, and 1987–88 fiscal years, the  
37 amount per unit of average daily attendance received in the prior  
38 fiscal year pursuant to Section 42238.8.

39 (6) For the 2004–05 fiscal year, the equalization adjustment  
40 specified in Section 42238.44.

(7) For the 2006–07 fiscal year, the equalization adjustment specified in Section 42238.48.

(8) For the 2011–12 fiscal year, the equalization adjustment specified in Section 42238.49.

~~(c) Except for districts subject to subdivision (d), the~~  
*(1) (A) For the 2010–11 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall compute an add-on for each school district by adding the inflation adjustment specified in Section 42238.1 to the adjustment specified in Section 42238.485.*

*(B) For the 2010–11 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, the Superintendent shall compute an add-on for each school district by adding the inflation adjustment specified in Section 42238.1 to the adjustment to the add-on computed pursuant to this paragraph for the prior fiscal year.*

*(2) Commencing with the 2010–11 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall compute an add-on for each school district by dividing each school district's fiscal year average attendance computed pursuant to Section 42238.5 into the sum of the following:*

*(A) Unemployment insurance adjustment revenues received by each district for the 2007–08 fiscal year pursuant to Section 42241.7 as it read on January 1, 2009.*

*(B) Total adjustments in funding for each district made for the 2007–08 fiscal year pursuant to Section 42238.22 as it read on January 1, 2009.*

*(d) The sum of the base revenue limit computed pursuant to subdivision (b) and the and add-on computed pursuant to subdivision (c) shall be multiplied by the district average daily attendance computed pursuant to Section 42238.5.*

~~(d) (1) For districts for which the number of units of average daily attendance determined pursuant to Section 42238.5 is greater for the current fiscal year than for the 1982–83 fiscal year, compute the following amount, in lieu of the amount computed pursuant to subdivision (c):~~

~~(A) Multiply the base revenue limit computed pursuant to subdivision (c) by the average daily attendance computed pursuant to Section 42238.5 for the 1982–83 fiscal year.~~

~~(B) Multiply the lesser of the amount in subdivision (c) or 1.05 times the statewide average base revenue limit per unit of average daily attendance for districts of similar type for the current fiscal~~

1 year by the difference between the average daily attendance  
2 computed pursuant to Section 42238.5 for the current and 1982-83  
3 fiscal years.

4 (C) Add the amounts in subparagraphs (A) and (B).

5 (2) This subdivision shall become inoperative on July 1, 1998.

6 (e) For districts electing to compute units of average daily  
7 attendance pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (a) of Section  
8 42238.5, the amount computed pursuant to Article 4 (commencing  
9 with Section 42280) shall be added to the amount computed in  
10 subdivision (c) or (d), as appropriate.

11 (f) For the 1984-85 fiscal year only, the county superintendent  
12 shall reduce the total revenue limit computed in this section by the  
13 amount of the decreased employer contributions to the Public  
14 Employees' Retirement System resulting from enactment of  
15 Chapter 330 of the Statutes of 1982, offset by any increase in those  
16 contributions, as of the 1983-84 fiscal year, resulting from  
17 subsequent changes in employer contribution rates.

18 (g) The reduction required by subdivision (f) shall be calculated  
19 as follows:

20 (1) Determine the amount of employer contributions that would  
21 have been made in the 1983-84 fiscal year if the applicable Public  
22 Employees' Retirement System employer contribution rate in effect  
23 immediately prior to the enactment of Chapter 330 of the Statutes  
24 of 1982 was in effect during the 1983-84 fiscal year.

25 (2) Subtract from the amount determined in paragraph (1) the  
26 greater of subparagraph (A) or (B):

27 (A) The amount of employer contributions that would have been  
28 made in the 1983-84 fiscal year if the applicable Public  
29 Employees' Retirement System employer contribution rate in effect  
30 immediately after the enactment of Chapter 330 of the Statutes of  
31 1982 was in effect during the 1983-84 fiscal year.

32 (B) The actual amount of employer contributions made to the  
33 Public Employees' Retirement System in the 1983-84 fiscal year.

34 (3) For purposes of this subdivision, employer contributions to  
35 the Public Employees' Retirement System for either of the  
36 following shall be excluded from the calculation specified above:

37 (A) Positions supported totally by federal funds that were subject  
38 to supplanting restrictions.

39 (B) Positions supported, to the extent of employer contributions  
40 not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) by any a

1 single educational agency, from a revenue source determined on  
2 the basis of equity to be properly excludable from the provisions  
3 of this subdivision by the Superintendent with the approval of the  
4 Director of Finance.

5 (4) For accounting purposes, the reduction made by this  
6 subdivision may be reflected as an expenditure from appropriate  
7 sources of revenue as directed by the Superintendent.

8 (h) The Superintendent shall apportion to each school district  
9 the amount determined in this section less the sum of:

10 (1) The district's property tax revenue received pursuant to  
11 Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 75) and Chapter 6  
12 (commencing with Section 95) of Part 0.5 of *Division 1 of* the  
13 Revenue and Taxation Code.

14 (2) The amount, if any, received pursuant to Part 18.5  
15 (commencing with Section 38101) of *Division 1 of* the Revenue  
16 and Taxation Code.

17 (3) The amount, if any, received pursuant to Chapter 3  
18 (commencing with Section 16140) of *Division 4 of Title 2 of* the  
19 Government Code.

20 (4) Prior years' taxes and taxes on the unsecured roll.

21 (5) Fifty percent of the amount received pursuant to Section  
22 41603.

23 (6) The amount, if any, received pursuant to the Community  
24 Redevelopment Law (Part 1 (commencing with Section 33000)  
25 of Division 24 of the Health and Safety Code), except for any  
26 amount received pursuant to Section 33401 or 33676 of the Health  
27 and Safety Code that is used for land acquisition, facility  
28 construction, reconstruction, or remodeling, or deferred  
29 maintenance, except for any amount received pursuant to Section  
30 33492.15 *of*, paragraph (4) of subdivision (a) of Section 33607.5  
31 *of*, or Section 33607.7 *of*, the Health and Safety Code that is  
32 allocated exclusively for educational facilities.

33 (7) For a unified school district, other than a unified school  
34 district that has converted all of its schools to charter status  
35 pursuant to Section 47606, the amount of statewide average  
36 general-purpose funding per unit of average daily attendance  
37 received by school districts for each of four grade level ranges, as  
38 computed by the department pursuant to Section 47633, multiplied  
39 by the average daily attendance, in corresponding grade level  
40 ranges, of any pupils who attend charter schools funded pursuant

1 to Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 47630) of Part 26.8 of  
2 *Division 4* for which the district is the sponsoring local educational  
3 agency, as defined in Section 47632, and who reside in and would  
4 otherwise have been eligible to attend a noncharter school of the  
5 district.

6 (i) A transfer of ~~seventh and eighth grade~~ pupils of grades 7  
7 and 8 between an elementary school district and a high school  
8 district shall not result in the receiving district receiving a revenue  
9 limit apportionment for those pupils that exceeds 105 percent of  
10 the statewide average revenue limit for the type and size of the  
11 receiving school district.

12 SEC. 3. Section 42238.21 of the Education Code is amended  
13 to read:

14 42238.21. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for  
15 the purposes of this article, the revenue limit for the Newport-Mesa  
16 Unified School District for the 1996–97 fiscal year, and future  
17 fiscal years, shall not include any amounts that should have been  
18 allocated to the Newport-Mesa Unified School District in the  
19 1994–95 fiscal year but that were not received by the district until  
20 the 1996–97 fiscal year, and future fiscal years, due to the  
21 bankruptcy proceedings initiated on December 6, 1994, by the  
22 County of Orange by its filing of a voluntary Chapter 9 petition  
23 in United States Bankruptcy Court, Case No. SA 94-22273-JR.  
24 These amounts shall not be included in the revenue limit  
25 computations for the 1996–97 fiscal year, and future fiscal years,  
26 but these amounts shall be treated as being received by the  
27 Newport-Mesa Unified School District in the 1994–95 fiscal year,  
28 the 1995–96 fiscal year, or both.

29 (b) *This section shall remain in effect only until July 1, 2010,*  
30 *and, as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted*  
31 *statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2011, deletes or extends*  
32 *that date.*

33 SEC. 4. Section 42238.22 of the Education Code is amended  
34 to read:

35 42238.22. (a) There is hereby created in the Santa Cruz High  
36 School attendance area, a program for middle school options to  
37 eliminate revenue limit inequities in the per pupil funding for  
38 instructional programs for pupils in grades 7 and 8. Participation  
39 is limited to the Santa Cruz High School District, the Live Oak  
40 Elementary School District, and the Soquel Union Elementary

1 School District. The purpose of the program is to encourage and  
2 enable these elementary school districts in this attendance area to  
3 continue providing a middle school program, in addition to the  
4 junior high school program operated by the high school district,  
5 thereby increasing enrollment options for all pupils in grades 7  
6 and 8.

7 (b) In order for these elementary school districts to receive an  
8 addition to the revenue limit pursuant to subdivision (g), these  
9 districts shall do all of the following:

10 (1) Continue to participate in a consortium with the Santa Cruz  
11 High School District.

12 (2) At a minimum, all pupils in grades 7 and 8 in the  
13 participating districts shall be provided with the option to enroll  
14 in either a middle school operated by the elementary school district  
15 or a junior high school operated by the high school district.

16 (3) Provide evidence to the Superintendent that the amount  
17 computed and allocated pursuant to subdivision (g) will be used  
18 only for pupils in grades 7 and 8.

19 (c) Participation by the districts in the consortium shall be  
20 voluntary.

21 (d) For purposes of this section, the following definitions shall  
22 apply:

23 (1) *“Junior high school program” means a departmentalized*  
24 *program in which pupils in grades 7, 8, and 9 select classes based*  
25 *on subject and move from classroom to classroom during the*  
26 *school day.*

27 (1)  
28 (2) “Middle school program” means a program in which teachers  
29 teach a common core curriculum to the same group of pupils in  
30 grades 6, 7, and 8, and provide a transition from self-contained  
31 classroom education at the elementary level to subject-oriented,  
32 departmentalized classrooms at the high school level.

33 ~~(2) “Junior high school program” means a departmentalized~~  
34 ~~program in which pupils in grades 7, 8, and 9 select classes based~~  
35 ~~on subject and move from classroom to classroom during the~~  
36 ~~school day.~~

37 (e) A school district shall not deny a request for enrollment  
38 made pursuant to this section unless space is not available in the  
39 selected school or unless the choice would have a negative impact  
40 on an existing desegregation plan.



(f) The average daily attendance of pupils participating in the enrollment option pursuant to this section and attending the elementary school districts shall be credited to the elementary school district of residence for purposes of determining state apportionments and revenue limits. The average daily attendance of pupils attending the high school district shall be credited to the Santa Cruz High School District.

(g) For the 1990–91 fiscal year for the Live Oak Elementary School District and each fiscal year thereafter, and for the 1991–92 fiscal year for the Soquel Union Elementary School District and each fiscal year thereafter, the Superintendent shall compute and allocate an amount in addition to the revenue limit for each elementary school district participating in the consortium, equal to the following:

(1) Calculate the average of the base revenue limits per unit of average daily attendance of the districts participating in the consortium.

(2) From the average base revenue limit calculated in paragraph (1), subtract the base revenue limit of the elementary school district per unit of average daily attendance.

(3) If the result in paragraph (2) is a positive number, then multiply the result in paragraph (2) by the average daily attendance of the elementary school district in grades 7 and 8. That amount shall be added to the total revenue limit computed for that district. If the result in paragraph (2) is zero, or less than zero, then no adjustment shall be computed for the district.

(h) If the elementary school district ceases to participate in the consortium, the adjustment computed in this section shall no longer be provided to that district.

*(i) This section shall remain in effect only until July 1, 2010, and, as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2011, deletes or extends that date.*

SEC. 5. Section 42238.485 is added to the Education Code, to read:

42238.485. (a) For the 2010–11 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall compute an adjustment for each school district by dividing each school district’s 2007–08 fiscal year average daily attendance into the sum of the following:

(1) Funding for Meals for Needy Pupils programs received by the school district for the 2007–08 fiscal year pursuant to Section 42241.2, as it read on January 1, 2009.

(2) Funding incentives to increase beginning teachers' salaries received by the school district for the 2007–08 fiscal year pursuant to Sections 45023.1 and 45023.4, as those sections read on January 1, 2009.

(b) For purposes of this section, average daily attendance shall be computed pursuant to Section 42238.5.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, no funding specified in this section shall be added to the adjustment computed pursuant to subdivision (a) if that funding is currently included in a school district's base revenue limit calculated pursuant to Section 42238.

SEC. 6. Section 42241.2 of the Education Code is amended to read:

42241.2. (a) A school district may add, in the computation of the district's revenue limit pursuant to Section 42238 for the current fiscal year, the amount computed in the preceding fiscal year for Meals for Needy Pupils programs (Article 11 (commencing with Section 49550) of Chapter 9 of Part 27 of Division 4) multiplied by 1.06, except that, commencing with the 1990–91 fiscal year, that amount ~~shall~~ instead *shall* be multiplied by the sum of 1 plus the percentage change determined pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1.

(b) *This section shall remain in effect only until July 1, 2010, and, as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2011, deletes or extends that date.*

SEC. 7. Section 42241.7 of the Education Code is amended to read:

42241.7. (a) For the 1978–79 fiscal year, and each fiscal year thereafter, the revenue limit of any elementary, high, or unified school district authorized pursuant to ~~Sections 42237 and Section~~ 42238 may be increased by an amount sufficient to provide additional revenue equal to the expenditures estimated to be incurred by the district in the budget year in complying with the following provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Code: Sections 605 and 803, Article 6 (commencing with Section 821) of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 1, or Article 3 (commencing

1 with Section 976) of Chapter 4 of Part 1 of Division 1, less the  
2 actual expenditures incurred by the district in the 1975–76 fiscal  
3 year in complying with the following provisions of the  
4 Unemployment Insurance Code: *former* Section 605.2 and Article  
5 6 (commencing with Section 821) of Chapter 3 of Part 1 of  
6 Division 1.

7 (b) If, at the end of ~~any~~ a fiscal year, the actual expenditures of  
8 the district specified in subdivision (a) are less than the revenue  
9 derived from the increase in revenue limit provided in subdivision  
10 (a) for that fiscal year, the difference shall be used in the following  
11 fiscal year exclusively for expenditures required pursuant to the  
12 Unemployment Insurance Code provisions specified in subdivision  
13 (a).

14 (c) If, at the end of ~~any~~ a fiscal year, the actual expenditures of  
15 the district specified in subdivision (a) exceed the revenue derived  
16 from the increase in revenue limit provided in subdivision (a) for  
17 that fiscal year, the difference may be added to the increase in  
18 revenue limit, authorized pursuant to this section, in the following  
19 fiscal year.

20 (d) (1) For the 1994–95 to 2002–03 fiscal years, inclusive, the  
21 adjustment computed pursuant to this section shall not be adjusted  
22 by the deficit factor applied to the revenue limit of each school  
23 district pursuant to Section 42238.145.

24 (2) For the 2003–04 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
25 the revenue limit reduction specified in Section 42238.146 may  
26 not be applied to the adjustment computed pursuant to this section.

27 (e) Expenditures for employees of charter schools funded  
28 pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter  
29 6 of Part 26.8 *of Division 4* are excluded from the calculations set  
30 forth in this section.

31 (f) *This section shall remain in effect only until July 1, 2010,*  
32 *and, as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted*  
33 *statute, that is enacted before January 1, 2011, deletes or extends*  
34 *that date.*

35 SEC. 8. Section 45023.1 of the Education Code is amended to  
36 read:

37 45023.1. (a) Commencing with the 2000–01 fiscal year, the  
38 governing board of a school district, the county superintendent of  
39 schools, or the county board of education may increase, for teachers  
40 meeting the requirements prescribed by this section, the salary on

1 its adopted certificated employee salary schedule as provided in  
2 subdivision (b). For purposes of this section, any teacher for whom  
3 the governing board, county superintendent of schools, or county  
4 board of education may increase salaries shall meet all of the  
5 following criteria:

6 (1) Hold a valid California teaching credential, not including  
7 an emergency permit, intern certificate or credential, or waiver.

8 (2) Possess a baccalaureate or higher degree.

9 (3) Receive a salary paid through the general fund of the district  
10 or county office.

11 (b) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or  
12 county board of education that increases its salaries pursuant to  
13 subdivision (a) shall perform *both of* the following computations:

14 (1) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or  
15 county board of education shall designate as the lowest salary on  
16 the salary schedule for a certificated employee meeting the criteria  
17 in subdivision (a) an amount that is at least an annual salary of  
18 thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) in the 2000–01 fiscal year.

19 (2) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or  
20 county board of education shall increase to the annual salary  
21 amount in paragraph (1) the salary of any certificated employee  
22 meeting the criteria in subdivision (a) whose salary on the salary  
23 schedule for the 1999–2000 fiscal year was less than the amount  
24 computed in paragraph (1) and, notwithstanding Section 45028,  
25 shall incorporate that increase into the salary schedule commencing  
26 with the 2000–01 fiscal year.

27 (c) Each school district or county office of education that  
28 increases its beginning teacher annual minimum salary to  
29 thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) pursuant to subdivision (b)  
30 shall elect, except as provided in subdivision (j), to receive  
31 reimbursement for the cost of the increase pursuant to only one of  
32 the following two options:

33 (1) Option One:

34 (A) In fiscal year 2000–01, a school district, county  
35 superintendent of schools, or county office of education that  
36 increases salaries pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) and  
37 selects reimbursement Option One shall receive an amount equal  
38 to six dollars (\$6) times the district's or county office's second  
39 principal apportionment average daily attendance for the  
40 1999–2000 fiscal year, excluding attendance in adult education

1 programs and charter schools participating in the charter school  
2 block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633)  
3 of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

4 (B) Divide the amount received from the state pursuant to  
5 subparagraph (A) for the 2000–01 fiscal year by the school district  
6 or county office of education second principal apportionment  
7 average daily attendance for the 1999–2000 fiscal year, excluding  
8 attendance in adult education programs and charter schools  
9 participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article  
10 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of  
11 *Division 4*.

12 (C) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
13 for each school district that increases its salaries pursuant to  
14 subdivision (a), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall sum  
15 the results of ~~paragraphs~~ *clauses* (i) and (ii) and add that figure to  
16 the total school district revenue limit computed pursuant to Section  
17 42238:

18 (i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
19 attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase  
20 pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1, and multiply the  
21 resulting product by the school district’s second principal  
22 apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year  
23 excluding attendance in regional occupational centers/programs,  
24 adult education programs, and charter schools participating in the  
25 charter school block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with  
26 Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

27 (ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
28 attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase  
29 pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1, and multiply the  
30 resulting product by the school district’s second principal  
31 apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year  
32 in regional occupational centers/programs excluding attendance  
33 in charter schools participating in the charter school block grant  
34 pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter  
35 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

36 (D) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
37 for each county office of education that increases its salaries  
38 subdivision (a), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall add  
39 the sum of ~~paragraphs~~ *clauses* (i) and (ii) to the county office of  
40 education revenue limit computed pursuant to Section 2550:

(i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational centers/programs, adult education programs, and charter schools participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

(ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year in regional occupational centers/programs excluding attendance in charter schools participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

(E) The school district, county superintendent of schools, or county office of education shall utilize these incentive funds not only to meet the new beginning teacher annual minimum salary of thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000), but ~~may~~ also *may* use the funds to generally enhance teachers' salaries in order to achieve the goals of retention of qualified, competent, and experienced teachers and the attainment of a reasonable salary commensurate with a teacher's experience, education, and responsibilities.

(2) Option Two: A school district, county superintendent of schools, or county office of education may submit a request to the ~~Superintendent of Public Instruction~~, on a form supplied by the ~~Superintendent of Public Instruction~~, for state funding computed as follows:

(A) Total the salaries of all certificated employees receiving increased salaries up to a maximum of thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) per person pursuant to subdivision (b) for the 2000–01 fiscal year.

(B) Total all salaries, based on the salary schedule for the 2000–01 fiscal year before the increase made pursuant to subdivision (b), of all certificated employees receiving increased salaries pursuant to subdivision (b).

1 (C) Subtract the amount in subparagraph (B) from the amount  
2 in subparagraph (A).

3 (D) Multiply the amount in subparagraph (C) by the district's  
4 statutory benefit rates.

5 (E) For the 2000–01 fiscal year, a school district, county  
6 superintendent of schools, or county office of education that  
7 increases salaries pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) and  
8 selects reimbursement Option Two shall receive the sum of  
9 ~~paragraphs~~ *subparagraphs* (C) and (D).

10 (F) Divide the sum of the amounts received pursuant to  
11 ~~paragraphs~~ *subparagraphs* (C) and (D) for the 2000–01 fiscal year  
12 by the school district and county office of education average daily  
13 attendance for the second principal apportionment for the 2000–01  
14 fiscal year, excluding attendance in adult education programs and  
15 charter schools participating in the charter school block grant  
16 pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter  
17 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

18 (G) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
19 for each school district that increases its salaries pursuant to  
20 subdivision (a), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall sum  
21 the results of ~~paragraphs~~ *clauses* (i) and (ii) and add that figure to  
22 the total school district revenue limit computed pursuant to Section  
23 42238:

24 (i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
25 attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the  
26 percentage increase pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1,  
27 and multiply the resulting product by the school district's second  
28 principal apportionment average daily attendance for the current  
29 fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational  
30 centers/programs, adult education programs, and charter schools  
31 participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article  
32 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of  
33 *Division 4*.

34 (ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
35 attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the  
36 percentage increase pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1,  
37 and multiply the resulting product by the school district's second  
38 principal apportionment average daily attendance for the current  
39 fiscal year in regional occupational centers/programs excluding  
40 attendance in charter schools participating in the charter school

1 block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633)  
2 of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

3 (H) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
4 for each county office of education that increases its salaries  
5 subdivision (a), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall add  
6 the sum of ~~paragraphs~~ *clauses* (i) and (ii) to the county office of  
7 education revenue limit computed pursuant to Section 2550:

8 (i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
9 attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the  
10 percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and  
11 multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's  
12 second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the  
13 current fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational  
14 centers/programs, adult education programs, and charter schools  
15 participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article  
16 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of  
17 *Division 4*.

18 (ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
19 attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the  
20 percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and  
21 multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's  
22 second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the  
23 current fiscal year in regional occupational centers/programs  
24 excluding attendance in charter schools participating in the charter  
25 school block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section  
26 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

27 (d) Any state funds received pursuant to this section and not  
28 used pursuant to the conditions of this section shall be returned to  
29 the state.

30 (e) If the funds requested by the school districts, the county  
31 superintendents of schools, and the county offices of education  
32 for the 2000–01 fiscal year exceed the state appropriation for this  
33 section, the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall reduce all  
34 requests by the application of a single, common percentage factor  
35 for apportionment purposes, so as not to exceed the amount  
36 appropriated for this purpose.

37 (f) A school district or county office of education shall receive  
38 reimbursement pursuant to subdivision (c) only. However, this  
39 section does not prohibit a school district and its employees from  
40 negotiating salary schedules.



(g) The adjustments to school district and county office of education revenue limits prescribed in subparagraphs (C) and (D) of paragraph (1) of subdivision (c) and subparagraphs (G) and (H) of paragraph (2) of subdivision (c), respectively, shall continue so long as the increase in the salary schedule made pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) or subdivision (i) is maintained.

(h) ~~The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall issue appropriate forms to school districts and county offices of education no later than September 1, 2000. School districts, county superintendents of schools, or county offices of education shall notify the Superintendent of Public Instruction no later than September 30, 2001, regarding which option they wish to exercise for the 2000–01 fiscal year. School districts, county superintendents of schools, or county offices of education shall file their claim form for state funds with the Superintendent of Public Instruction no later than September 30, 2001.~~

(i) Adjustments made to school district or county office of education revenue limits pursuant to subparagraphs (C) and (D) of paragraph (1) of subdivision (c) and subparagraphs (G) and (H) of paragraph (2) of subdivision (c), respectively, shall not be considered part of the base revenue limit for the purpose of computing equalization adjustments or determining other wealth-related differences in school funding.

(j) Notwithstanding subdivision (c), a school district or county office of education that already has as the annual minimum salary for beginning teachers who meet the criteria in subdivision (a) in an amount equal to or greater than thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) shall be eligible to receive reimbursement pursuant to Option One.

*(k) This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2010, and, as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2011, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.*

SEC. 9. Section 45023.1 is added to the Education Code, to read:

45023.1. (a) Commencing with the 2000–01 fiscal year, the county superintendent of schools or the county board of education may increase, for teachers meeting the requirements prescribed by this section, the salary on its adopted certificated employee salary schedule as provided in subdivision (b). For purposes of

1 this section, a teacher whose salary may be increased by the county  
2 superintendent of schools or county board of education shall meet  
3 all of the following criteria:

4 (1) Hold a valid California teaching credential, not including  
5 an emergency permit, intern certificate or credential, or waiver.

6 (2) Possess a baccalaureate or higher degree.

7 (3) Receive a salary paid through the general fund of the county  
8 office.

9 (b) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
10 education that increases its salaries pursuant to subdivision (a)  
11 shall perform both of the following computations:

12 (1) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
13 education shall designate as the lowest salary on the salary schedule  
14 for a certificated employee meeting the criteria in subdivision (a)  
15 an amount that is at least an annual salary of thirty-four thousand  
16 dollars (\$34,000) in the 2000–01 fiscal year.

17 (2) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
18 education shall increase to the annual salary amount in paragraph  
19 (1) the salary of any certificated employee meeting the criteria in  
20 subdivision (a) whose salary on the salary schedule for the  
21 1999–2000 fiscal year was less than the amount computed in  
22 paragraph (1) and, notwithstanding Section 45028, shall incorporate  
23 that increase into the salary schedule commencing with the  
24 2000–01 fiscal year.

25 (c) Each county office of education that increases its beginning  
26 teacher annual minimum salary to thirty-four thousand dollars  
27 (\$34,000) pursuant to subdivision (b) shall elect, except as provided  
28 in subdivision (j), to receive reimbursement for the cost of the  
29 increase pursuant to only one of the following two options:

30 (1) Option One:

31 (A) In fiscal year 2000–01, a county superintendent of schools  
32 or county office of education that increases salaries pursuant to  
33 paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) and selects reimbursement Option  
34 One shall receive an amount equal to six dollars (\$6) multiplied  
35 by the county office's second principal apportionment average  
36 daily attendance for the 1999–2000 fiscal year, excluding  
37 attendance in adult education programs and charter schools  
38 participating in the charter school block grant program pursuant  
39 to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of  
40 Part 26.8 of Division 4.

1 (B) Divide the amount received from the state pursuant to  
2 subparagraph (A) for the 2000–01 fiscal year by the county office  
3 of education second principal apportionment average daily  
4 attendance for the 1999–2000 fiscal year, excluding attendance in  
5 adult education programs and charter schools participating in the  
6 charter school block grant program pursuant to Article 2  
7 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of  
8 Division 4.

9 (C) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
10 for each county office of education that increases its salaries  
11 pursuant to subdivision (a), the Superintendent shall add the sum  
12 of clauses (i) and (ii) to the county office of education revenue  
13 limit computed pursuant to Section 2550:

14 (i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
15 attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase  
16 identified pursuant to Section 2557, and multiply the resulting  
17 product by the county office of education’s second principal  
18 apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year  
19 excluding attendance in regional occupational centers/programs,  
20 adult education programs, and charter schools participating in the  
21 charter school block grant program pursuant to Article 2  
22 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of  
23 Division 4.

24 (ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
25 attendance specified in subparagraph (B) by the percentage increase  
26 identified pursuant to Section 2557, and multiply the resulting  
27 product by the county office of education’s second principal  
28 apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year  
29 in regional occupational centers/programs excluding attendance  
30 in charter schools participating in the charter school block grant  
31 program pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633)  
32 of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of Division 4.

33 (D) The county superintendent of schools or county office of  
34 education shall utilize these incentive funds not only to meet the  
35 new beginning teacher annual minimum salary of thirty-four  
36 thousand dollars (\$34,000), but also may use the funds to generally  
37 enhance teachers’ salaries in order to achieve the goals of retention  
38 of qualified, competent, and experienced teachers and the  
39 attainment of a reasonable salary commensurate with a teacher’s  
40 experience, education, and responsibilities.

(2) Option Two: A county superintendent of schools or county office of education may submit a request to the Superintendent, on a form supplied by the Superintendent, for state funding computed as follows:

(A) Total the salaries of all certificated employees receiving increased salaries up to a maximum of thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) per person pursuant to subdivision (b) for the 2000–01 fiscal year.

(B) Total all salaries, based on the salary schedule for the 2000–01 fiscal year before the increase made pursuant to subdivision (b), of all certificated employees receiving increased salaries pursuant to subdivision (b).

(C) Subtract the amount in subparagraph (B) from the amount in subparagraph (A).

(D) Multiply the amount in subparagraph (C) by the statutory benefit rates.

(E) For the 2000–01 fiscal year, a county superintendent of schools or county office of education that increases salaries pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) and selects reimbursement Option Two shall receive the sum of subparagraphs (C) and (D).

(F) Divide the sum of the amounts received pursuant to subparagraphs (C) and (D) for the 2000–01 fiscal year by the county office of education average daily attendance for the second principal apportionment for the 2000–01 fiscal year, excluding attendance in adult education programs and charter schools participating in the charter school block grant program pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of Division 4.

(G) For the 2001–02 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, for each county office of education that increases its salaries pursuant to subdivision (a), the Superintendent shall add the sum of clauses (i) and (ii) to the county office of education revenue limit computed pursuant to Section 2550:

(i) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the current fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational

1 centers/programs, adult education programs, and charter schools  
2 participating in the charter school block grant program pursuant  
3 to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of  
4 Part 26.8 of Division 4.

5 (ii) Annually increase the funding rate per unit of average daily  
6 attendance calculated pursuant to subparagraph (F) by the  
7 percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557, and  
8 multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's  
9 second principal apportionment average daily attendance for the  
10 current fiscal year in regional occupational centers/programs  
11 excluding attendance in charter schools participating in the charter  
12 school block grant program pursuant to Article 2 (commencing  
13 with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of Division 4.

14 (d) Any state funds received pursuant to this section and not  
15 used pursuant to the conditions of this section shall be returned to  
16 the state.

17 (e) If the funds requested by the county superintendents of  
18 schools and the county offices of education for the 2000–01 fiscal  
19 year exceed the state appropriation for this section, the  
20 Superintendent shall reduce all requests by the application of a  
21 single, common percentage factor for apportionment purposes, so  
22 as not to exceed the amount appropriated for this purpose.

23 (f) A county office of education shall receive reimbursement  
24 pursuant to subdivision (c) only.

25 (g) The adjustments to county office of education revenue limits  
26 prescribed in subparagraphs (C) and (D) of paragraph (1) of  
27 subdivision (c) and subparagraphs (G) and (H) of paragraph (2)  
28 of subdivision (c), respectively, shall continue so long as the  
29 increase in the salary schedule made pursuant to paragraph (2) of  
30 subdivision (b) or subdivision (i) is maintained.

31 (h) The Superintendent shall issue appropriate forms to county  
32 offices of education no later than September 1, 2000. County  
33 superintendents of schools, or county offices of education shall  
34 notify the Superintendent no later than September 30, 2001,  
35 regarding which option they wish to exercise for the 2000–01 fiscal  
36 year. County superintendents of schools or county offices of  
37 education shall file their claim forms for state funds with the  
38 Superintendent no later than September 30, 2001.

39 (i) Adjustments made to county office of education revenue  
40 limits pursuant to subparagraph (C) of paragraph (1) of subdivision

(c) and subparagraph (G) of paragraph (2) of subdivision (c), respectively, shall not be considered part of the base revenue limit for the purpose of computing equalization adjustments or determining other wealth-related differences in school funding.

(j) Notwithstanding subdivision (c), a county office of education that already has as the annual minimum salary for beginning teachers who meet the criteria in subdivision (a) in an amount equal to or greater than thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000) shall be eligible to receive reimbursement pursuant to Option One.

(k) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2010.

SEC. 10. Section 45023.4 of the Education Code is amended to read:

45023.4. (a) This section shall be known, and may be cited, as the Jack O'Connell Beginning-Teacher Salary Incentive Program. Commencing in the 1999–2000 fiscal year the governing board of a school district, the county superintendent of schools, or the county board of education may increase, for teachers who meet the requirements of this subdivision, the salary on its adopted certificated employee salary schedule as provided in subdivision (b). ~~Any~~ A school district that elects to meet the requirements of this section shall be eligible to receive the incentive amount provided by subdivision (c). For purposes of this section, ~~any a~~ teacher for whom the governing board, county superintendent of schools, or county board of education may increase salaries shall meet all of the following criteria:

(1) Hold a valid California teaching credential, not including an emergency permit, intern permit, or waiver.

(2) Possess a baccalaureate or higher degree.

(3) Receive a salary paid from the general fund of the *school* district or county office *of education*.

(b) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or county board of education that elects to increase teachers' salaries as authorized pursuant to subdivision (a) shall perform the following computations:

(1) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or county board of education shall designate as the lowest salary on the salary schedule for a certificated employee meeting or exceeding the criteria in subdivision (a) an amount equal to a minimum annual salary of thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000).

If this salary change results in costs to the school district or county

office of education that are equal to or greater than the incentive received pursuant to subdivision (c), the minimum salary shall be thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000). If this salary change results in costs to the school ~~districts or county offices~~ *district or county office* of education that are less than the incentive received, the remainder shall be used to increase the beginning salary by an amount above thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000) which fully applies the incentive received.

(2) The governing board, county superintendent of schools, or county board of education shall increase to the annual salary amount in paragraph (1) the salary of ~~any~~ *a* certificated employee meeting the criteria in subdivision (a) whose salary on the salary schedule is less than the amount computed in paragraph (1) and, notwithstanding Section 45028, shall incorporate that increase into the salary schedule.

(3) The newly adopted salary schedule shall contain only one cell that meets the amount set forth in paragraph (1), which most often is the first-year step of a salary schedule column for certificated personnel who meet the criteria set forth in subdivision (a). All other salary schedule cells shall exceed the level set forth in paragraph (1) for personnel ~~that~~ *who* meet the criteria in subdivision (a).

(c) In the 1999–2000 fiscal year, the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall divide the amount appropriated for the purposes of this section by the 1998–99 second principal apportionment average daily attendance for all school districts and county offices of education in the state. Each school district and county office of education that certifies to the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ that it is in full compliance with this section shall receive following that certification an amount equal to the results of the calculation multiplied by the ~~participating school district's or county office's~~ 1998–99 second principal apportionment average daily attendance.

(d) For the 2000–01 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, for each school district that meets the requirements of subdivision (b), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall sum the results of paragraphs (1) and (2) and add that figure to the total school district revenue limit computed pursuant to Section 42238.

(1) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision (c) by the percentage increase computed pursuant to subdivision

(b) of Section 42238.1 and multiply the resulting product by the school district's second period average daily attendance for the prior fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational centers and programs, adult education programs, and charter schools participating in the charter school block grant pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

(2) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision (c) by the percentage increase computed pursuant to subdivision (b) of Section 42238.1 and multiply the resulting product by the school district's second period average daily attendance for the prior fiscal year in regional occupational centers and programs, excluding attendance in charter schools participating in the charter school block grant *program* pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

(e) For the 2000–01 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter, for each county office of education that meets the requirements of subdivision (b), the Superintendent of ~~Public Instruction~~ shall add the sum of paragraphs (1) and (2) to the county office of education revenue limit computed pursuant to Section 2550.

(1) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision (c) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557 and multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's second period average daily attendance for the prior fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational centers or programs, adult education programs, and charter schools participating in the charter school block grant *program* pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of *Division 4*.

(2) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision (c) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557 and multiply the resulting product by the county office of education's second period average daily attendance for the prior fiscal year in regional occupational centers or programs excluding attendance in charter schools participating in the charter school block grant *program* pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8.



1 (f) The adjustment to the school district and county office of  
2 education revenue limit prescribed in subdivisions (d) and (e) shall  
3 continue so long as the increase in the salary schedule made  
4 pursuant to paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) is maintained.

5 (g) The adjustment made to school district or county office of  
6 education revenue limits pursuant to subdivisions (d) and (e) shall  
7 not be considered part of the base revenue limit for purposes of  
8 computing equalization adjustments or determining other  
9 differences in school funding that are based on the amount of  
10 funding received by a school district or county office of education.

11 (h) This section does not prohibit a school district and its  
12 employees from negotiating salary schedules.

13 (i) *This section shall become inoperative on July 1, 2010, and,*  
14 *as of January 1, 2011, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute,*  
15 *that becomes operative on or before January 1, 2011, deletes or*  
16 *extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed.*

17 SEC. 11. Section 45023.4 is added to the Education Code, to  
18 read:

19 45023.4. (a) (1) This section shall be known, and may be  
20 cited, as the Jack O'Connell Beginning-Teacher Salary Incentive  
21 Program. Commencing in the 1999–2000 fiscal year the county  
22 superintendent of schools or the county board of education may  
23 increase, for teachers who meet the requirements of this  
24 subdivision, the salary on its adopted certificated employee salary  
25 schedule as provided in subdivision (b).

26 (2) For purposes of this section, a teacher whose salary may be  
27 increased by the county superintendent of schools or county board  
28 of education shall meet all of the following criteria:

29 (A) Hold a valid California teaching credential, not including  
30 an emergency permit, intern permit, or waiver.

31 (B) Possess a baccalaureate or higher degree.

32 (C) Receive a salary paid from the general fund of the county  
33 office of education.

34 (b) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
35 education that elects to increase teachers' salaries as authorized  
36 pursuant to subdivision (a) shall perform the following  
37 computations:

38 (1) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
39 education shall designate as the lowest salary on the salary schedule  
40 for a certificated employee meeting or exceeding the criteria in

1 subdivision (a) an amount equal to a minimum annual salary of  
2 thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000). If this salary change results  
3 in costs to the county office of education that are equal to or greater  
4 than the incentive received pursuant to subdivision (c), the  
5 minimum salary shall be thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000). If  
6 this salary change results in costs to the county office of education  
7 that are less than the incentive received, the remainder shall be  
8 used to increase the beginning salary by an amount above  
9 thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000) which fully applies the  
10 incentive received.

11 (2) The county superintendent of schools or county board of  
12 education shall increase to the annual salary amount in paragraph  
13 (1) the salary of any certificated employee meeting the criteria in  
14 subdivision (a) whose salary on the salary schedule is less than  
15 the amount computed in paragraph (1) and, notwithstanding Section  
16 45028, shall incorporate that increase into the salary schedule.

17 (3) The newly adopted salary schedule shall contain only one  
18 cell that meets the amount set forth in paragraph (1), which most  
19 often is the first-year step of a salary schedule column for  
20 certificated personnel who meet the criteria set forth in subdivision  
21 (a). All other salary schedule cells shall exceed the level set forth  
22 in paragraph (1) for personnel that meet the criteria in subdivision  
23 (a).

24 (c) In the 1999–2000 fiscal year, the Superintendent shall divide  
25 the amount appropriated for the purposes of this section by the  
26 1998–99 second principal apportionment average daily attendance  
27 for all county offices of education in the state. Each county office  
28 of education that certifies to the Superintendent that it is in full  
29 compliance with this section shall receive following that  
30 certification an amount equal to the results of the calculation  
31 multiplied by the participating county office’s 1998–99 second  
32 principal apportionment average daily attendance.

33 (d) For the 2000–01 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter,  
34 for each county office of education that meets the requirements of  
35 subdivision (b), the Superintendent shall add the sum of paragraphs  
36 (1) and (2) to the county office of education revenue limit  
37 computed pursuant to Section 2550.

38 (1) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per  
39 unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision  
40 (c) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557,

1 and multiply the resulting product by the county office of  
2 education's second period average daily attendance for the prior  
3 fiscal year excluding attendance in regional occupational centers  
4 or programs, adult education programs, and charter schools  
5 participating in the charter school block grant program pursuant  
6 to Article 2 (commencing with Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of  
7 Part 26.8 of Division 4.

8 (2) Annually increase the statewide average funding rate per  
9 unit of average daily attendance calculated pursuant to subdivision  
10 (c) by the percentage increase identified pursuant to Section 2557,  
11 and multiply the resulting product by the county office of  
12 education's second period average daily attendance for the prior  
13 fiscal year in regional occupational centers or programs excluding  
14 attendance in charter schools participating in the charter school  
15 block grant program pursuant to Article 2 (commencing with  
16 Section 47633) of Chapter 6 of Part 26.8 of Division 4.

17 (e) The adjustment to the county office of education revenue  
18 limit prescribed in subdivision (d) shall continue so long as the  
19 increase in the salary schedule made pursuant to paragraph (2) of  
20 subdivision (b) is maintained.

21 (f) The adjustment made to county office of education revenue  
22 limits pursuant to subdivision (d) shall not be considered part of  
23 the base revenue limit for purposes of computing equalization  
24 adjustments or determining other differences in school funding  
25 that are based on the amount of funding received by a county office  
26 of education.

27 (g) This section shall become operative on July 1, 2010.